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- 6th - Austin Westcott
Carri Stewart
- 7th - Stanielle Stewart
- 8th - Michelle Zumbrum
- 9th - David Goldsmith III
- 11th - Shirley Vincent
- 14th - Dale Weber
- 15th - Anita Westcott
Maddie Arb
Andrew Siebert
- 16th - Jake Byrd
- 17th - Mark Krueger
- 18th - Tripp Darbro
- 21st - Justin Arb
Ryker Hinrichs
Dillon Riley
Kevin Hadley
- 22nd - Justin Johnson
- 23rd - Vicki Lieberum
Gretchen Russell
Kayla Burton
- 24th - Roberta Lewis
John Milner
Jim Theas
Todd Preisner
- 26th - Jasmine Gerleman
- 27th - David Goldsmith, Jr.
Elise Succi
- 28th - Bill Duncan
Elizabeth Spain
- 29th - John Brown
- 30th: Linda Soetebier
Owen Morgan
Kristy Ciero



PLANNING & ZONING BOARD

City Hall

1st Monday @ 6.00 pm

AMERICUS REC. ORGANIZATION

NLC Elementary

3rd Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m.

CITY COUNCIL BUSINESS MEETING

City Hall

2nd Tuesday @ 7:00 p.m.

FIRE BOARD MEETING

Library

2nd Wednesday @ 7:30 p.m.

TOWNSHIP LIBRARY BOARD

Library

4th Monday @ 6:00 p.m.

MUNICIPAL COURT

City Hall

2nd Wednesday @ 3:00 p. m.

AMERICUS TOWNSHIP

Library

Last Thursday @ 7:30 p.m.

RWD #1 BOARD

3rd Tuesday @ 7:30

Water Board Office

2501 W. 18th, Emporia



November 3rd

Bryan & Susan Finny

Ronnie & Margene Crane

Ben & Lesley Harbaugh

November 27th

Joe & Ulane Rhine

Tami & Steven Romeis

City Hall will be closed on Monday, November 11th to observe Veteran's Day & November 28th & 29th for Thanksgiving.

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HONORING ALL WHO SERVED
VETERANS DAY
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Americus Police Department

Non emergency number: 620-487-5899



Code Enforcement

Violation Notices Served

KNOW YOUR SPEED



The city has purchased a speed detector sign. The sign will be moved



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to

From City Hall:

The following minutes are from the October 8th, 2024 Americus City Council business meeting. As of print time the minutes have not been approved by the council.

CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL: The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Council Member HAMLIN. Council members present were NUESSEN, HARMON, BURTON and HAMLIN. Council member HINRICHS and Mayor Dustin Wright were absent. Also present were City Clerk Lesley Harbaugh, City Attorney Steve Atherton, and maintenance Nick Gadino.

VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: Kim Meyers

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: *September 10th, 2024 business meeting.* Moved by HARMON to approve the minutes from the September 10th business meeting. Motion seconded by BURTON. 3-0 vote.

BILLS TO PAY: Moved by BURTON to approve the accounts payable for October 2024 in the amount of \$38,991.30. Motion seconded by HARMON. 3-0 vote.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES:

PROJECT PLAYSCAPE: No report.

MAINTENANCE: Nick Gadino reports that the city has continued working on new grass at the ballfield. Nick reports that the concession stand at the ballfield has been winterized and they have been busy working on cleaning up the lagoons. Streets signs for 1st and Maple are here and will be installed soon.

CLERK: No report.

ADOPT THE AGENDA: Moved by BURTON to adopt the agenda. Motion seconded by NUESSEN. 3-0 vote.

1. TRUNK OR TREAT: *Kim Meyers* Kim Meyers is here to speak about the annual Trunk or Treat event. The event will be on Sunday, October 27th, 2024 from 3-5. The date and time also coordinate with the Allen Halloween events. The county has been contacted regarding street closures. The city will provide 4 barricades and 3 trashcans for the event. The city approves Kim's request to use Main Street from Broadway Street to Locust Street. Motioned by BURTON for the city to donate \$300 for the Trunk or Treat event on October 27th. Motion seconded by HARMON. 3-0 vote.

2. MATCH DAY DONATION: No action.

3. ROLLING HILLS BAR AND GRILL: *Liquor license renewal.* Owner Angie Brockelman has provided the city with a copy of her liquor license application and the license fee. Moved by NUESSEN to approve Rolling Hills Bar and Grill liquor license renewal, pending state approval. Motion seconded by BURTON. 3-0 vote.

4. COLLEGE BLOCK: *Lots 15 and 16* No action

5. CITY OF AMERICUS PROPERTIES: The council reviewed a map of properties owned by the city. They will revisit the list at the November 12th meeting.

6. CONDEMNATION: The council reviewed a list of properties and structures on the condemnation list. The council reviewed an inspection done by building inspector Larry Lewis for 507 Elm. The next step is to do a title search and pass a resolution to move forward with the condemnation process, setting a time and place for a public hearing. The consensus of the council is to move forward. BURTON moved to adopt a resolution fixing the time and place and providing for notice of a hearing before the governing body of the city at which time the owner, its agent, lienholders of record, and occupants of 507 Elm may appear and show cause why such structures and conditions should not be condemned or ordered repaired, demolished or removed, or made safe as to said dangerous structures or dangerous conditions.

Motion seconded by Nuessen. 3-0 vote.
Kim Meyers and Nick Gadino left at 7:45

7. EXECUTIVE SESSION: Non-elected personnel matters. Moved by BURTON to go into executive session for non-elected personnel matters at 7:46 p.m. for 30 minutes with council, clerk, and legal present. Motion seconded by HARMON. 3-0 vote. Back in open session at 8:14 p.m. Motioned by NUESSEN to approve the city to pay individual dental premiums for each employee. Motion seconded by BURTON. 3-0 vote.

Moved by BURTON to adjourn at 8:16 p.m. Motion seconded by Harmon. 3-0 vote.

Americus City Council Business Meeting

November 12th, 2024 7:00 p.m.

Agenda

CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL:

VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: *October 8th, 2024 business meeting*

BILLS TO PAY:

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES:

PROJECT PLAYSCAPE:

MAINTENANCE:

CLERK:

ADOPT THE AGENDA

1. **PROJECT PLAYSCAPE:** *Parade Road barriers/closure for Saturday, December 7th. & Santa Travel & Cookies with Santa event donation*
2. **CASEY’S CMB LICENSE RENEWAL:**
3. **CITY OF AMERICUS PROPERTIES:**
4. **CONDEMNATION:** *Resolution 301 & 302*
5. **EXECUTIVE SESSION:** *For real estate and non-elected personnel matters*



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NEW POLICY in effect:

In an effort to improve the appearance of our cemeteries especially with mowing and weed-eating the Americus Township Board has adopted a policy banning the planting of trees, shrubs, plants or flowers in the cemetery. Signs have been ordered and will be put in place in the near future. We also ask that when placing other items that they be placed in such a manner as to not interfere with maintenance.

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Email: americuslibrary@gmail.com

Webpage: americus.lib.nckls.org

Library Hours:

Mon, Wed, Fri: 12:30-5:00pm

Tues, Thurs: 9a - 12p and 1p - 5:00pm

Sat: 9a—12p (afternoon closed)

The library is collecting pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Northeast Kansas (Topeka). When aluminum pop tabs

are sent they are taken to a recycling cen

Watch our **facebook** page and signs on the front door for information on closure dates and times.

Check out our **BOOK SALE**

free will donation \$ appreciated

Preschool Story Time

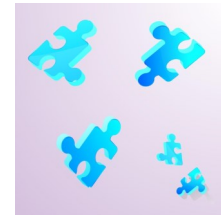
Thursdays 10:00 to 10:30 am

The Crayon Initiative is a wonderful organization. When you donate your unwanted or broken crayons, they will recycle them into new ones. These new crayons are then donated to schools, hospitals, or art programs. The library has a drop-box!



happy thanksgiving

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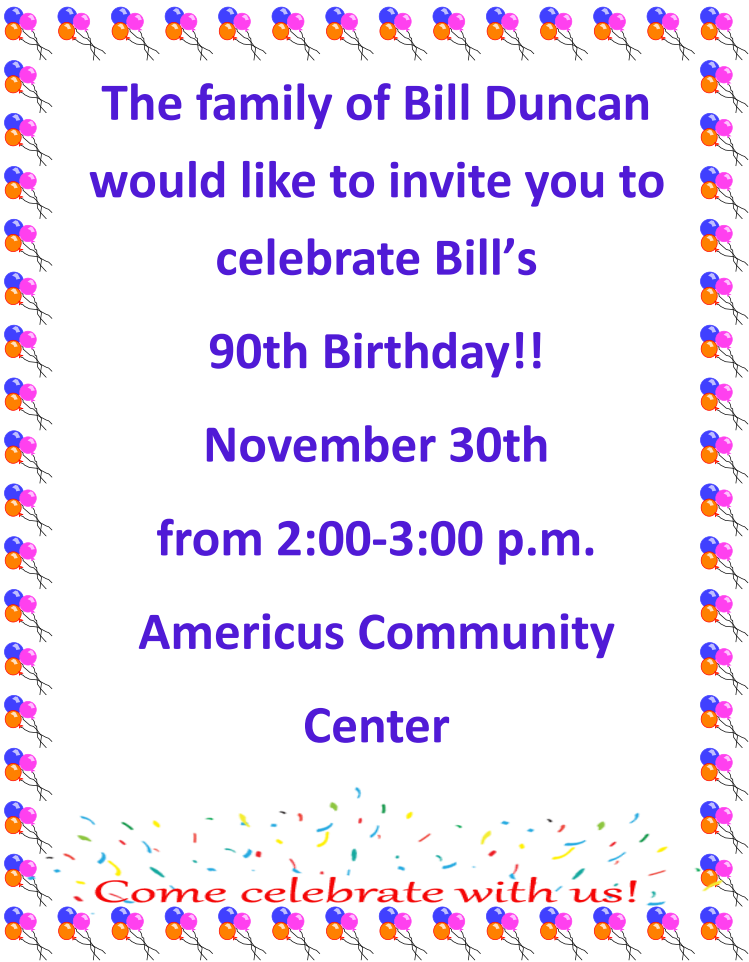
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Worship Service
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Americus Community Food Pantry

The pantry will be pre-boxed pickup only

Tuesday

Saturday

November 5th

November 16th

6:00pm. - 7:30 pm.

9:30 am. - 11:00am.

We welcome any nonperishable donations. The number of families we are serving is rising. Drop off on the parsonage porch or contact the church at 620.366.5074 . Thank you to the community for all donations

DURING SERVICES A NURSERY IS AVAILABLE.



Countryside Baptist Church

6 First Street, P.O. Box 524

Americus, KS 66835

SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
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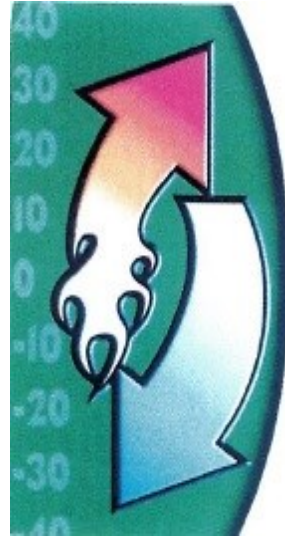
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November Schedule

6th & 20th

December Schedule

4th & 18th



City Hall

Hours:

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